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1. REF A RECEIVED AFTER HSCA STAFFERS HAD ALREADY CONDUCTED INTERVIEW WITH WKSCARLET-3 ON MORNING OF 2 JUNE, ACCORDING TO POLITICAL COUNSELLOR, INTERVIEW CONDUCTED IN RECEPTION ROOM OF MILITARY PRISON: IN ADDITION TO STAFFERS FONZI AND GONZALEZ AND W-3, INTERVIEW ATTENDED BY ARMY CAPTAIN ON BEHALF OF PRISON AUTHORITIES.

2. WHILE GENERALLY COOPERATIVE AT OUTSET OF INTERVIEW, WHEN QUESTIONED CONCERNING ASSASSINATION ATTEMPTS AGAINST PRIME MINISTER CASTRO, WKSCARLET-3 TOLD HSCA REPS THAT HE REFUSED TO ANSWER THE QUESTIONS AS HE WAS "TOO WELL TRAINED AND DISCIPLINED".

3. EARLY IN AFTERNOON 2 JULY HSCA STAFFERS ALSO HELD BRIEF SESSION WITH WKTANGO-1. IT APPARENTLY WAS CORDIAL AND WKTANGO-1 ADMITTED TO HAVING CARRIED ORLANDO BOSCH'S (NOT WKSCARLET-3'S AS RESPORETED REF B) ADDRESS BOOK WITH HIM TO MIAMI DURING HIS RECENT TRIP. ADDRESS BOOK WAS TURNED OVER BY WKTANGO-1 TO CUSTOMS OFFICERS, AND HSCA STAFFERS BROUGHT IT WITH THEM FOR RETURN TO BOSCH.

4. WISH EMPHASIZE THAT ALL OF ABOVE OBTAINED VIA POLITICAL COUNSELLOR, TO WHOM HSCA STAFFERS ARE COURTEOUS BUT QUITE RESERVED IN TERMS OF REPORTING DETAILS OF INTER-

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VIEW QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS OBTAINED. THEREFORE REPORTS WHICH STATION RECEIVES VIA POLITICAL COUNSELLOR ARE UNDERSTANDABLY LACKING IN DETAIL. HSCA STAFFERS HAVE ONLY ONE FURTHER INDIVIDUAL THEY ATTEMPTING TO INTERVIEW (ROGELIO CISNEROS, ON WHOM THERE NO STATION TRACES) AND PLAN DEPART CARACAS 4 JUNE.

5. CONSIDERING FACT INTERVIEWS THUS COMPLETED, WITH NO APPARENT JEOPARDY OF OUR LIAISON OR SECURITY EQUITIES, COS DOES NOT PLAN TO CONTACT STAFFERS FONZI AND GONZALES FOR PURPOSES OF REITERATING GROUND RULES ON CONTACT WITH FORMER RTACTION AGENTS. BELIEVE, HOWEVER, HQS SHOULD RAISE THIS ISSUE WITH HSCA CHIEF COUNSEL TO AVOID FURTHER INCIDENTS OF THIS NATURE. E2, IMPDET.

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